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Our Case No. 10466-138
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Botstein et al.)
Serial No. 09/944,896) Examiner O'Hara
Filing Date: 8/31/2001) Group Art Unit No. 1646
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed November 17, 2004, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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